

## Message Text

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ACTION SCSE-00

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P R 111718Z APR 77  
FM AMEMBASSY LISBON  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 0909  
FAA HQRS. WASHDC PRIORITY  
INFO AMEMBASSY BRUSSELS  
AMEMBASSY PARIS  
AMEMBASSY PRETORIA  
AMCONSUL CAPE TWON  
USIA WASHDC  
AMEMBASSY MADRID

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FOR EMBASSY CAPE TOWN

BRUSSELS AND PARIS FOR FAA  
USIA FOR IEU

E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: EAIR CASC CGEN CPRS EINV AO PO PFOR  
SUBJECT: ALLEGED ILLEGAL FLIGHT OF BEECHCRAFT BI-MOTOR  
BY AMERICAN CITIZEN

REF: LISBON 2540; PRETORIA 1114

1. TWO LISBON AFTERNOON DAILIES APRIL 11 REPORTED STRAIGHT-  
FORWARD DETAILED ACCOUNT CONCERNING ALLEGED ILLEGAL DEPARTURE  
OF BEECHCRAFT BI-MOTOR, ANGOLAN REGISTRY BY AMERICAN CITIZEN  
LESLIE CLARKSON TEXAS. EVENT REPORTEDLY TOOK PLACE APRIL 8.

2. ARTICLES STATE THAT TEXAS IGNORED CONTROL TOWER  
INSTRUCTIONS TO HALT AND HEADED OFF IN DIRECTION SPAIN. ITEM  
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CONTINUES SAYING ONCE LOCAL AUTHORITIES WERE INFORMED  
THEY FOLLOWED IN PURSUIT IMMEDIATELY BUT WERE  
UNABLE TO LOCATE THE BI-MOTOR.

3. ASSOCIATED PRESS HAS ASKED EMBASSY FOR COMMENT.  
WE HAVE REPLIED THAT NOT HAVING FACTS OF CASE WE  
HAD NO COMMENT TO MAKE.

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## Message Attributes

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